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The Restriction/Election requirement for 10/649,273, mailed December 22, 2004, is hereby vacated for the following reasons. In said Restriction/Election requirement Claims 1-24 were restricted. However, said claims were cancelled by the Preliminary Amendment of August 27, 2003, which was submitted upon filing of the instant application. It is acknowledged that said preliminary amendment cancelled Claims 1-32 and added new Claims 33-64. Claims 33-64 represent a single invention and, therefore, do not require restriction.

The Examiner apologizes for any inconvenience to the Applicant and Applicant's representatives.

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